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HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT
OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES
24TH & F STREETS N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

210.31 (13 Feb 44)

15 February 1944

SUBJECT: Travel Orders, Shipment IJ-909-CG

TO : Personnel Concerned.

1. The following named personnel, at a date to be determined by the Commanding Officer this headquarters, are relieved from their present assignment and duty and directed to proceed by air from Washington, D. C. and/or Miami, Florida and/or New York, New York to IJ-909-CG, and upon arrival at overseas destination personnel will report to the Commanding General thereof for assignment to duty with the Office of Strategic Services: (AFR 3-159199 USG)

Officers

~~Major Robert Bishop~~, 0918130, AC
2nd Lt. Gordon W. Bush, 01053514, CAC

Enlisted Men

11/Sgt. Herbert B. Sholar 33642839
Pvt. Panagiotis D. Coucoulis 13142058

2. This is a PERMANENT change of station.

3. Travel by military, naval, or commercial aircraft (Par. 3, AR 55-120, 1943) is directed for the accomplishment of an emergency war mission. Travel by Army or Naval transport, commercial steamship, belligerent vessel or aircraft, and rail is authorized.

4. Clothing and Equipment

a. Enlisted men are authorized clothing for temperate climate in accordance with T/E #21, 10 March 1943 and changes thereto.

b. Officers will take such articles of clothing as may be desired within the prescribed allowances.

c. Individual equipment for extended field service will be drawn upon arrival at final destination.

d. The following arms and accessories will be furnished prior to departure from home station, and will be carried as excess allowances (with exception of Major Bishop, who is a technical specialist, and whose duties overseas will be of such a nature that it will not be necessary for him to be armed with a weapon).

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| 1 pistol, auto. .45 cal. M1911 | 1 belt, pistol |
| 1 holster, leather, .45 cal. | 2 magazines, assem (clip) .45 cal. |
| 1 pockets, magazine, web, double | *21 rounds, cart., amm. .45 cal. |

* Lt. Bush only will be furnished ammunition.

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e. Lt. Bush and Pvt. Coucoulis are authorized to take special C.S.C. equipment.

f. Lt. Bush, M/Sgt. Sholar and Pvt. Coucoulis are authorized to wear civilian clothing in the performance of this mission.

5. a. Baggage to accompany individuals by air will be limited to fifty-five (55) pounds each, will be marked with the owner's full name, rank, and serial number, and will accompany him to the port of aerial embarkation.

b. Baggage, not to exceed 120 pounds, will be marked with the owner's full name, rank, and serial number, and further marked as indicated below, for shipment by water through the Charleston Port of Embarkation:

TO: PORT TRANS O (PB)
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CHARLESTON, S. C.

FOR: IJ-909-CG

c. Baggage will not be marked so as to disclose the overseas destination. Under no conditions will personal baggage be crated or boxed for shipment to the port.

6. The Commanding General, Air Transport Command, is requested to designate the port of aerial embarkation and to make the necessary transportation available.

7. In lieu of subsistence, a flat per diem of \$7.00 is authorized while traveling by aircraft in accordance with existing law and regulations. TDM. 1-5000 P 431-01, 02, 3, 07, 08 A 0425-24.

8. Personnel involved in this movement should advise their correspondents, at the appropriate time that their post office address until further notice will be

Individual's name, rank and serial number
APO 9790 - c/o Postmaster, New York, New York.

Upon arrival at destination they will use the APO address of the troops at that place and should inform their correspondents promptly of the new address.


9. S/R of EM will be processed in accordance with AR 345-125. S/R and allied papers will be placed in the custody of EM concerned for proper delivery upon arrival at destination.

10. Each individual is cautioned to refrain from discussing the overseas destination of this movement, even by shipment number, as the meaning thereof may later become known by correspondents and the security provided be violated.

11. Reimbursement for the expenses incurred in connection with this travel will be made to the War Department by the Office of Strategic Services.

12. AUTHORITY: WD, Letter, AG 210.31 (7 Feb 44)OB-S-E-M, dated 13 February 1944,
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By order of Colonel STRONG:


E. R. GASKILL,
1st Lt., AUS,
Asst. Adjutant.

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